

JENNIFER AKRIDGE,

V.

Defendant.

(3) The parties are hereby GRANTED the right, upon compliance with the applicable discovery provisions of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the orders of this court, to disclose or obtain from any health care provider, health plan, or other entity covered by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, Pub. L. No.

104-191, O110 Stat. 1936 (1996) (“HIPAA”), any and all information relating to the past, present, or future medical condition of any individual who is a party to this action, as well as any and all information relating to the provision of health care to such individual and payment for the provision of such health care.

This order is intended to authorize such disclosures under the privacy regulations issued pursuant to HIPAA. 45 C.F.R. § 164.512(e)(1)(i). The parties are EXPRESSLY PROHIBITED from using or disclosing the protected health information obtained pursuant to this order for any purpose other than this action. Further, the parties are ORDERED to either return to the covered entity from whom or which such protected health information was obtained or to destroy the protected health information (including all copies made) immediately upon conclusion of this action. *See* 45 C.F.R. §§ 163.502(b); 164.512(e)(1)(v).

DONE on the 23rd day of October, 2018.

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GRAY M. BORDEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE